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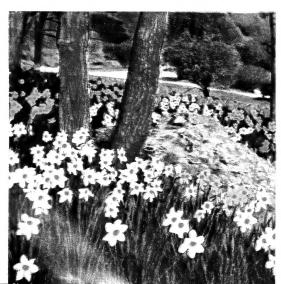






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# The New Ideal Darwin Tulips

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The demand for these Tulips by our customers has increased each year by leaps and bounds. Lovely, gay and sparkling colors added to the fact that they have a very long period of bloom, are responsible for their increasing popularity.

The Ideal Darwin Tulip is the result of the crossing of the common Darwin Tulips with a Wild Tulip or Tulip species made some years ago by Grullemans of Holland. The bulbs finally selected from thousands of seedlings showed the invigorating effect of new blood, resulting in cleaner and clearer colors as well as larger, longer-lasting blooms.

Experts have been quick to see the many new qualities and virtues of the Ideal Darwin Tulips. In the pink shades, varieties such as The Peach are outstanding for their soft and lovely tints, as well as ruggedness of bloom.

We are indicating these. New Hybrids by placing the word "New" immediately after the variety name. Only limited quantities are available so far. It's therefore best not to wait any longer than necessary to order them. We assure you they will be the most admired flowers in your garden.

#### Abraham Lincoln. New.

*1*, \$1.00; **3**, \$2.75; **6**, \$5.25; *12*, \$10.00 The color is bright crimson-maroon, outer petals shaded somewhat darker. It is of excellent substance, broad petalled. 29 inches.

**Anne Spellman.** 6, \$1.25; 12, \$2.00; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Creamy white turning to pure white. An oval flower lasting three to four weeks. 30 inches.

### Autumn Sunlight.

6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.25; 100, \$12.00 A very attractive, pale yellow flower of good substance; anthers and base of same color. 26 inches.

**Coronado.** 6, 95c: 12, \$1.75: 25, \$3.25: 100, \$12.00 Dark begonia-rose, long-pointed, large, broad flower of excellent substance. Pure white base with black anthers. 28 inches.

**Cum Laude.** 6, 90c; 12, \$1.65: 25, \$3.25: 100, \$11.00 Deep violet with blue overtone; ivory-white center. A large flower, waved inside. 32 inches.

### Duke of Wellington.

6, 75c; 12, \$1.35: 25, \$2.65: 100, \$10.00 A delightful pure white flower of great beauty and substance with white anthers and pure white base. 25 inches. Florence Nightingale. New.

6, 75c; 12, \$1.35: 25, \$2.65: 100, \$10.00 Very bright vernilion lacquer-red. The flower is broad and substantial. Improved Charles Needham. 27 inches.

- Glacier. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A giant among pure white Tulips; white base and white anthers. The tremendous, oval-shaped flower of great substance, will last three weeks in the garden. 30 inches.
- Helen Gahagan. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A delightful sulphur-yellow Tulip. Inside dark lemonyellow with yellow anthers; will turn to creany white when planted in the garden. Large, oblong flower. 30 inches.
- J. K. Lilly. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.25; 100, \$12.50 An extremely handsome, cup-shaped, vermilion-red bloom of superb form and coloring. There is no color variation in the flower. Clear yellow center and anthers. One of the tops among our red novelties. 28 inches.
- Margaux. 6, 60c; 12, \$1.00; 25, \$1.95; 100, \$7.50 Deep wine-red, with broad light edge: Tremendous flower of oval shape, carried on a strong stiff stem. 30 inches.
- New Orleans. New. 6, 60c; 12, \$1.00; 25, \$1.95; 100, \$7.50 A fine new Tulip of velvety glossy purple color. Large, flowers that have good lasting qualities. 30 in.
- Notre Dame. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Claret-red with violet undertone; blue sheen inside and brilliant blue base. 27 inches.
- Queen Bess. New. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60: 25, \$3.00: 100, \$11.00 Delicate pale rose with white undertone, base white, anthers dark. Large, oval-shaped flower of good substance. 28 inches.

### Queen of the Night.

6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 One of the darkest Tulips. At last a real black Tulip of rare beauty. Large flowers on tall, stiff stems. 30 inches. **Royal Guest.** 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 A glorious creamy white, shading to almost white as it ages; no base color; yellow anthers. The large, oval flower has exceptional lasting qualities. 29 inches.

Scotch Lassie. 6, 75c: 12, \$1.35: 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Purest deep lavender; darker inside; dark blue base. Will last three to four weeks in the garden. 26 inches.

Smiling Queen. New.

6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.25; 100, \$12.50 This variety appears to be the finest rose-colored Tulip in existence. The color is pure and radiant. The flower is huge, of beautiful form and long lasting. 32 inches.

- **The Peach.** 6, 75c; 12, §1, 35; 25, §2.65; 100, §10.00 A glorious peach-colored Tulip, wi.n large, white center; the flower is large. It is an early variety of great charm and beauty; long lasting. 27 inches. **Treasure Island**. New.
- Finest silvery yellow Non-fading. Huge squarish flowers, pointed, tapering outward. 24 inches.
- White Giant. 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 A white Tulip with black anthers. Nice shaped flower on a strong stem. 30 inches.

Zina. New. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.25; 100, \$12,50

This deep chrome-vellow Tulip is the best of the deep yellow Darwins. It has great substance, and a tall stem. 30 inches.

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Ideal Darwin ROYAL GUEST

> Ideal Darwin FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE



### ALLARE TOP-SIZE BULBS

Darwins are usually the mainstay of a Tulip planting. Darwin Tulips are large and cupped, with very long, heavy stems that make them perfect for cutting. They bloom in May and last for several weeks.

Against a dark hedge Darwins make an unforgettable picture; use them, too, in clumps in the perennial or shrub border and in beds by themselves. Borders of pansies and forget-me-nots set them off to perfection.

- 6, 75c 12, \$1.35 25, \$2.65 100, \$10.00 Afterglow. One of the truly gorgeous bicolor Tulips. Soft apricotorange tinged with pink. Very erect. 26 inches.
- 6, 75c; 12, \$1,35 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 All Bright, New. Carmine-red edged light blood-red. Sport of T. Bartigon. Recommended for forcing. 24 inches,
- Bleu Aimable. 6, 75c 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Bright lilac-blue shaded steel-blue; inside dark violetpurple with blue base. Beautiful shape. 25 inches.

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MARGAUX

Blue Eagle (Black Eagle). 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 The cup-shaped flower is of great size and of the richest and most intense deep purple, which shines when the sun strikes it. The anthers are pitch-black and the base of deepest blue. 29 inches.

- Charles Needham. 6, 60c 12, \$1.00; 25, \$1.95; 100, \$7.50 A beautiful brilliant scarlet flower with black base. Outstanding in its color. 28 inches.
- City of Haarlem. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A reliable, handsome Darwin of great substance and of a fiery cardinal-red. The dark violet base of this Tulip, outlined in white, gives it a striking effect when open. 27 inches.

6, 60c; 12, \$1.00; 25, \$1.95; 100, \$7.50 Clara Butt. Clear pink, flushed salmon-rose; good size.' A beautiful bedding Tulip. 28 inches.

- Faust. 6, 75c; 12, \$1,35; 25, \$2,65; 100, \$10,00 Dark purplish maroon with a blue base. Large flower of perfect form. 30 inches.
- Flag of War. 6, 85c 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00 100, \$11.00 A distinctive dark crimson with dark base. A large, substantial bloom on a stiff stem. 28 inches.
- Giant Saco. New. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Purplish violet, large flower on a tall, strong stem. 29 inches.
- Golden Age. 6, 75c 12, \$1.35 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A perfect golden yellow, very brilliant and showy. 29 inches.
- La Tulipe Noire. New. 6,75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Dark maroon-black flower with glistening sheen and dark violet center. Large, substantial flower on a strong stem. 28 inches.
- Helen Eaken. New. 6, 75c 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10,00 A huge, cup-shaped flower of purest white. Excellent form and substance. Strong, stiff stems hold the blooms upright. 30 in.
- Michael Angelo. New.
- 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.25; 100, \$12.50 Brilliant carmine-rose, this nice shaped flower is of an unusually strong texture, and carried on a strong stem. 28 inches.
- Niphetos. 6, 75c; 12, 81.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A glorious soft yellow flower with lighter base and anthers. The reflexing petals are of a remarkable texture and have great lasting qualities. 29 inches.
- Pride of Haarlem. 6, 60c; 12, \$1.00; 25, \$1.95; 100, \$7.50 Cerise-scarlet, blue base, large flower on strong stem. 30 inches.
- Princess Elizabeth. 6, 60c; 12, \$1,00; 25, \$1,95; 100, \$7,50 Pink with lighter border, deepening with age. 28 inches,

- 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 The Bishop. A magnificent flower of clear deep violet-blue with white base. Highly recommended for exhibition. 29 inches.
- 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Sunkist, New. Buttercup-yellow. Large, oval flower, long lasting. One of the best dark yellows. 26 inches.
- 6, 60c; 12, \$1.00; 25, \$1.95; 100, \$7.50 Yellow Giant. Golden yellow, with a yellow base and black anthers. Strong, tall stem. 28 inches.

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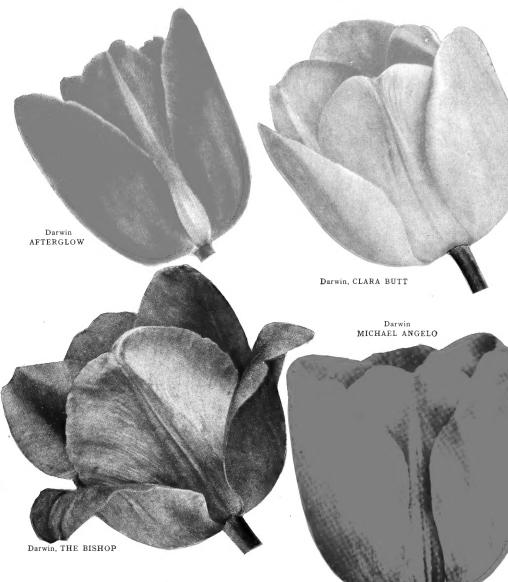
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# Old English COTTAGE TULIPS

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Cottage Tulips are varieties that have been found, for the most part, sequestered in the old cottage gardens of the British Isles. Hybrid Tulips are the result of crosses between the Cottage, Breeder and Darwin Tulips. They flower approximately at the same time as the Breeders and Darwins during the month of May, with the exception of the Far South, where they bloom in April. They are often marked by long, rather pointed petals and thin, wiry stems.

All the Tulips offered in our list are beautiful, presenting a great variety in form and coloring. They are prized for cutting because of their long stems and graceful babits, and are especially adaptable for permanent, bardy flower borders where they should be freely planted in large clumps and in masses.

- Advance. 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 Tremendous orange-scarlet flower with glittering black center. Lovely as a cut-flower. 30 inches.
- **Belle Jaune.** 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 The egg-shaped blooms are perfect—outside petals a deep golden yellow; inside sparkling yellow of slightly lighter tone, pure yellow anthers. Stems are strong and erect. 28 inches.
- Chappaqua. New. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Violet-rose, inside carmine-rose, yellow center with blue edge. 31 inches.
- **G. W. Leak.** 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 Glowing orange-red flowers, with petals turning downward, disclosing a lovely pale base. This outstanding flower grows on a tall, stiff stem. 28 inches.
- Ivory Glory. 6, 90e; 12, \$1.65; 25, \$3.25; 100, \$11.00 Enormous, egg-shaped flower, clear ivory-white with white center. This is without question one of the finest Tulips of this color. Outstanding bedding variety of good substance. 26 inches.
- Marjorie Bowen. 6, 60c; 12, \$1.00; 25, \$1.95; 100, \$7.50 A very unusual shade—a combination of buff and salmon, which passes to deep rose-pink with salmon shading. 28 inches.



- Marshall Haig. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Brilliant scarlet with glittering interior; yellow base. Highly recommended. 28 inches.
- **Mongolia.** 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 One of the largest deep yellow varieties in existence. 32 inches.
- Mother's Day. 6, 60c; 12, \$1.00; 25, \$1.95; 100, \$7.50 Light citron-yellow; large flower. Very showy. 28 inches.
- Mrs. John T. Scheepers.
- 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Clear chrome-yellow; large flower. Very showy. 28 inches.
- Northern Queen. 6, 60c; 12, \$1.00; 25, \$1.95; 100, \$7.50 White with deep border of pink down the flower to within 1 inch of the base. Extra large. 25 inches.
- Princess Margaret Rose. New. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00
- Clear canary-yellow, edged orange-red. Sport of Inglescombe Yellow. 23 inches.
- Queen of Spain. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A charming cream-colored flower, delicately flamed and feathered with pink and light rose. There is no other Tulip that can compare with this lovely variety. 25 inches.
- **Rosy Wings.** 3, 55c; 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.25One of the earliest Cottage Tulips to bloom. The flowers are large and sumptuous; saluon-orange, inside brighter, with white base. One of the choice New Hybrid Cottage Tulips. 24 inches.
- Summer Glow. 3, 55c; 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.25 Brilliant orange-red; yellow base and anthers. Oval flower. 30 inches.
- White City. 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 Pure white, lovely when cut. Strong flower and stem. 27 inches.
- Yellow Emperor. New. 6,75c; 12,\$1.35; 25,\$2.65; 100,\$10.00 A beautiful yellow Tulip, well shaped and of good substance. 29 inches.

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Cottage MARJORIE BOWEN

# New Giant MODERN TULIPS

### ALL ARE TOP-SIZE BULBS

A border or mass planting of these Giant Modern Tulips in bloom is an amazing riot of color.

The rare richness of the exotic and almost unbelievable color schemes of these Tulips will soon cause them to be the talk of your neigbborbood, creating mixed emotions of surprise, admiration and envy on the part of all who view the colorful spectacle of their blooms. For grace, beauty, and stately dignity, for large, long-lasting blooms, they are unsurpassed.

- **Bronze Glory.** 6, \$1.00: 12, \$1.75: 25, \$3.25: 100, \$12.00 A lovely copper color, shaded olive and purple. Center and anthers dark. A large, broad, striking flower on a stiff stem. 28 inches.
- **Dillenburg.** New. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Clear orange-terra-cotta that diffuses into clear yellow edges. 27 inches.

### Dixie Sunshine. New.

6, \$1.00: 12, \$1.75: 25, \$3.25: 100, \$12.00 An improved Jaune d'Oeuf. Outside yellowish tan with lilac-buff-yellow shadings. Inside pale yellow. Yellow base. 28 inches.

#### Georges Grappe. New.

6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Lavender-blue with clear sky-blue base. It is the outstanding Tulip in this color. 32 inches.

### Indian Chief (Meyerbeer).

6,70c: 12, \$1.30: 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 One of the most enormous artistic flowers of the Modern Tulips. The intriguing color is wood-brown with a metallic sheen and rose-colored lights. 32 inches.

### Kathleen Truxton. New.

6, \$1.25: 12, \$2.00: 25, \$3.75: 100, \$13.75 Outside petals soft, slaty rose with handsome soft copperyellow edging; inside soft pinkish lavender. Excellent bedding Tulip also recommended for forcing in mid-February. 28 inches.

Louis XIV. 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 A large, goblet-shaped flower, which possesses a most artistic blending of tones; deliciously scented. Dark bluish violet with tawny margin, flushed golden brown and dull blue base with a yellow star, 34 inches.

### Morocco Beauty. New.

6, \$1.35; 12, \$2.60; 25, \$5.00; 100, \$17.00 Clear Morocco-red, interior dark reddish mahogany. Base yellowish. An outstanding novelty. 26 inches.

Orange Delight. 6, 70c: 12, \$1.30: 25, \$2.50: 100, \$8.50 Clear bronze flushed orange. Long lasting. Very popular. 26 inches.

Papago. New. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A novelty with bold, well-formed blooms on very long, sturdy stems. Deep brownish red and scarlet inside; yellow base. Late. 32 inches.

**Tantalus.** 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Light cadmium-yellow, overlaid with a full violet flush, Base dark yellow with black anthers. 30 inches. New Modern DIXIE SUNSHINE

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GEORGES GRAPPE

# Parrot Tulips—spectacular in form, size and color

### ALL ARE TOP-SIZE BULBS

You will enjoy some of these new, quaintly shaped flowers, particularly for bouse decoration. They are stunning in clumps bere and there in the border, in front of shrubs or groups of evergreens. Their artistic form and coloring make them especially suitable for cut-flowers.

- Blue Parrot. 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 A glorious Parrot Tulip of bright violet shaded steel-blue. This unusual flower is large and carried erect on a strong, stem. A rare novelty, 30 inches.
- Black Parrot, New. lack Parrot. New. 1, 40c; 3, \$1.15; 6, \$2.25; 12, \$4.25 Brilliant velvety maroon-black. The only Parrot Tulip in this color. Strong stem and flower. 26 inches.
- Discovery. New. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Soft clear old rose. This sport of the Darwin Princess Elizabeth is of a most distinct shape with a strong stem. Highly recommended. 28 inches,
- Fantasy. 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 A beautiful salmon-pink Parrot Tulip with much darker interior and green feathered markings outside. 27 inches.
- 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Gemma. White flushed apple-blossom-pink. A very good new Parrot Tulip, much loved as a cut-flower. 22 inches.
- Orange Favorite. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Glistening deep orange, shaded rose, inside deep orangescarlet with yellow base; sweet-scented flower of great size and brilliant color. 23 inches.
- Pierson, New. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Rich crimson-maroon; large flower on a strong and stiff stem. Sport of Darwin Allard Pierson. Highly recommended. 28 inches.
- Red Champion. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Beautiful laciniated, carmine-red flowers on strong stems. Highly recommended. 24 inches,



- Sunshine. 6, \$1.00: 12, \$1.75: 25, \$3.25: 100, \$12.00 Clear golden yellow deeply lacerated and cut, with sometimes a slight marking of green which enhances the beauty of this unusual flower. 14 inches.
- Texas Gold. 3, \$1,75; 6, \$3,25; 12, \$6,25; 25, \$12.00 Clear yellow; larger flowers than Sunshine. A real beauty on a sturdy stem. 24 inches.
- The Skipper. New. 1, \$1.00; 3, \$2.75; 6, \$5.25; 12, \$10.00 Artistic blend of bluish violet, with margins flushed golden brown. 24 inches.
- 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Therese. Bright cochineal-carmine, inside vivid cerise-scarlet. Parrot green outside; white center, tinted blue. 14 inches.

### See Parrot Tulips **On Front Cover**

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I understand that you will have many new varie-ties next year. If you can beat the ones I have now - it will be wonderful. I certainly am more than pleased and my wife is just crazy about them. I am also so glad that you mixed them up and sent both April and May blooming types.

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# Tulips of Distinction and Beauty

### DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

Double Early Tulips are chiefly grown for their showy effects in masses and are very lasting. Where a display of color is desired, they are very satisfactory. Excellent for growing in pots or pans but should not be forced into bloom too early.

Frederik Van Eeden. New. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Carmine-red. Sport of Murillo. Novelty. 14 inches.

- Marchal Niel. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Bright orange shading to yellow. Best of this color for forcing. Highly recommended. 14 inches.
- Orange Nassau. range Nassau. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A rather unusual color in Double Tulips—orange-red. Very effective for planting in beds or borders. 12 inches.
- Peach Blossom. 6, 75c; 12, \$1,35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Bright rose-pink flushed white, deepening with age to carmine-rose; large. Excellent for pots. 12 inches.

Safrano (Tearose). 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 As pleasing a saffron-yellow as the old Tea Rose. 12 inches.

6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Schoonoord. A beautiful, pure white. One of the best double white varieties, if not the best. 11 inches.

### CHINESE LANTERN TULIPS

Imagine a bandful of Tulips baving the delicate pure pastel tints of our finest sweet peas and you have but a fair description of these colors. The general effect, however, is that of lighted, delicately colored Chinese lanterns.

- **Good Gracious.** 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 A blending of pink, salmon, orange and yellow, giving the general effect of pale apricot, yellow base. 25 inches.
- Salmon Triumph. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Orange shaded rosy lilac, inside bright salmon. Large eggshaped flower. 28 inches.

#### Double Late UNCLE TOM

### ALL ARE TOP-SIZE BULBS

### SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Few, if any, of the spring-blooming bulbs rival the Single Early Tulips for brilliancy of bloom or ease of culture. They are excellent subjects for formal beds on the lawn or for garden borders. Many of the varieties may be forced into bloom in January, while all of them may easily be had blooming in pots in late February or early March.

- General De Wet. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Golden yellow, flushed deep orange; large, sweet-scented flower of erect habit. 20 inches.
- Keizerskroon. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Brilliant crimson-scarlet, edged clear rich yellow, excellent, large flower on long stem. Fine bedder; splendid for forcing. 16 inches.
- Pink Beauty. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Vivid cherry-rose; center of petals striped white. An enormous flower of superb shape. Fine bedding Tulip. 16 inches.
- Prince of Austria. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Fine orange-red inside brilliant scarlet. A lovely, sweetscented flower. 16 inches.
- 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 White Hawk. Large, pure white flowers. 16 inches.
- Yellow Prince. 6, 75c; 12, \$1,35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Yellow; sweet scented. A good bedding and forcing Tulip. 14 inches.

### REMBRANDT TULIPS

These are Darwin Tulips that have broken into a permanent variegation or diversity of color. The flowers are beautifully striped and blotched; attractive in beds and borders.

### American Flag (Old Glory).

6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Dark red with broad white lines and blue center. Large, long flowers of good substance; strong stem. Outstanding novelty. 30 inches.

### Montgomery. New.

6, 75c; 12, \$1,35; 25, \$2,65; 100, \$10.00 White sport of Bartigon, with a narrow red edge, which spreads over the whole flower as it ages. 25 inches.

### TRIUMPH TULIPS

These lovely Tulips are the result of crosses between the Single Early and Darwin Tulips. They are useful for the border because of their strong stems, bridging the gap between the early and late Tulips. Be sure to try some.

6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 Crater. Bright scarlet. A fine bedding and forcing Tulip. 23 inches. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Denbola.

Cerise-red slightly bordered white. A flower of great substance; vigorous grower, 22 inches.

Elmus. 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 Bright red edged white. Fine bedding and forcing Tulip, lovely to fill the gap between early and late varieties, 27 inches

Kansas. New. 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 Snow white, large flower; long strong stem, 23 inches.

Orange Wonder. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Bronzy orange with golden yellow edge. The large substantial flower is carried on a strong stem. 25 inches.

Ursa Minor. New. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A very good deep yellow Tulip of fine form. Among the best in its class. 20 in.



Rembrandt AMERICAN FLAG

# ILLIPS OF UNUSUAL FORM AND COLORING

### PFONY-FLOWERED TULIPS

### (Double Late Tulips)

These flower at the same time as the Cottage Tulips. They are thankful for a little shading against bot midday sun, which will help them to carry their heavy, peony-like blooms erect. Taller than the Double Early. Blooming period, early to late May.

- Blue Celeste. 6, \$1.15; 12, \$2.20; 25, \$4.10; 100, \$12.00 Soft violet-purple; large flower, very showy. 14 inches. oxa. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Coxa.
- A beautiful carmine-red. Large flowered. 22 inches. ros. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Eros.
- Old-rose, tinted silvery rose toward the edge. 20 inches.
- 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Livingston. Bright red; yellow center. Ideal for cutting. 18 inches. Mount Tacoma 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00
- Large flower resembling a double, pure white peony. 23 inches.

Royal Yellow. New.

- 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Flowers of medium size, perfectly symmetrical, a fine effect. Deep golden yellow, The double form of Bouton d'Or. 20 inches.
- Uncle Tom. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Dark glossy red; large flower. 22 inches.

TULIPA GRULLEMANNI

Easily grown and tremendously long lasting. In the garden they will outlast any Tulip in existence. The bulbs multiply rapidly. Their coloring is unique and most attractive.

- **Gold Nugget.** New. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Outside golden yellow flushed deep rose; inside golden yellow with huge black blotch. An exquisite novelty; long lasting. 24 inches.
- 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Inga Hume. Inside deep yellow slightly sprayed red; outside red with broad, sharply lined, yellow edge; large black base. 26 inches.

#### Triumph DENBOLA

### LILY-FLOWERED TULIPS

Lily-Flowered MARTHA

The Tulips offered under this beading have been kept by themselves because of their distinct lilv-like flowers.

Lily-flowered Tulips bloom at the same time as the Cottage Tulips and are best used where a light, airy and graceful effect is desired. As flowers for cutting, they surpass other Tulips because they are so much more graceful. Don't miss planting a few this year. You will be delighted with the effect. 6, 70c; 12, \$1.30; 25, \$2.50; 100, \$8.50 Alaska.

Clear bright yellow, long flowers with slightly reflexed

- petals. A very graceful variety. 26 inches. stor. New. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Pale lilac-bronze, shaded salmon. Good novelty. 24 inches. Astor. New. everly. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Orange—an outstanding color. Large flower. 24 inches. Beverly.
- Captain Fryatt. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Rich dark ruby-violet with blue and white base. Strong reflexing petals. No other Tulip of similar color exists. 24 inches.
- Elegans Alba. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A most graceful white flower with a narrow distinct edging of crimson that does not fade or spread. 24 inches.

Martha. New. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Dark rosy red, white base bordered in blue. Beautiful flower with reflexed petals. 25 inches.

- 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Mildred. A very large flower of soft rose-pink on a tall, stiff stem. Very graceful. 26 inches.
- Rhodes, New. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Deep satiny pink, pure white center; strong stem. One of the best in this color. 24 inches.
- 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 White Duchess. White, Outer petals are reflexed, 27 inches,

Grullemanni GOLD NUGGET

### DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS



### Botanical or Species, the Indispensable Miniature Tulips ALL ARE TOP-SIZE BULBS

MULTI-FLOWERED TULIPS

### (The Tree Tulip)

Instead of producing the conventional single stem with one bloom on top, the varieties offered under this heading all grow a strong main stem with from three to six branches half way up the stem, each branch carrying its own flower. Blooms are of good size, gracefully spaced and produce an unusual and great mass of color.

For cutting in particular, they are very decorative and useful, for they lend themselves nicely to arrangement. They are bardy and multiply guite freely in the garden. Madam Mottet. New.

6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A tyrian-purple becoming flushed shell-pink as it ages, producing three or more flowers on a stem. 24 inches, Monsieur Mottet. New.

6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 A lovely Darwin-shaped flower, three or more blooms on a branch, changing color as it ages. 24 inches.

Rose Mist. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 A lovely pink variety averaging four or more large, strong

flowers on straight stems. 28 inches. **'allflower**. 6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 Wallflower. Shiny red, interior clear yellow. Of vigorous growth; tall, straight stems with three to five flowers. 27 inches,

### CHAMELEON TULIPS

A delightful novelty for either forcing or growing outdoors. Named for the changing colors of the flowers, which open white delicately margined rose-pink and cherry-red. As the blooms mature, this edging gradually spreads over the entire flower.

### Fanny Farrar. New.

6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.25; 100, \$12.00 At opening it is white with a delicate edging of rose-pink on each petal, gradually suffusing the entire flower to a soft pink. The flower is large and substantial and far superior to Ossi Oswalda. 28 inches.





FOSTERIANA, RED EMPEROR (Botanical)

### BOTANICAL OR SPECIES TULIPS

Tulip species, coming as they do from southern Europe and Asia, should be planted in dry, sunny locations.

The following collection includes a great number of beautiful and interesting varieties, which show a bewildering variation in size and shape of flowers, structure of the leaves, babits, etc. Cultivation bas not modified them, and they may be planted in the rock gardens between creeping plants or in colonies in small, warm nooks where they will come up year after year without any care.

#### Clusiana.

6, 60c; 12, \$1.15; 25, \$2.25; 100, \$8.50 A charming species, known as the Lady Tulip. Small flower, white with crimson exterior and blue base. Very fine for cutting. 8 inches.

Eichleri. 6, 50c; 12, 95c; 25, \$1.85; 100, \$7.00 Splendid, large, crimson-scarlet flowers with yellow and black center. Effective in the flower border or rock garden. 12 inches.

### Fosteriana, Princeps.

6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Just as large flowers and just as beautiful as Red Emperor, but blooms about ten days later. 8 inches, Fosteriana, Red Emperor.

6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Magnificent variety with large, rounded, vermilion-scarlet petals; handsome black, yellow-borderd base. 18 inches. Kaufmanniana. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10,00 White and yellow, pink outside. Called the Waterlily Tulip. The earliest to bloom of all Tulips; large. 8 inches.

### Botanical or Species Tulips, continued Kaufmanniana, Gaiety.

6, 85c; 12, \$1.60; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$11.00 White, outside striped red. Very dwarf; the flower practically rests on the foliage.

Marjoletti. 6, 60c; 12, \$1.15; 25, \$2.25; 100, \$8.50 Primrose mottled carmine-red at base. Blooms the second week in May. Excellent for the rock garden. 14 inches.

Praestans Fusilier. 6, 75c; 12, \$1.35; 25, \$2.65; 100, \$10.00 Orange-scarlet; an improvement on Praestans. Three to five blossoms on a stem. 14 inches. Rockery Beauty. New.

- 6, \$1.25; 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.50 A very brilliant vermilion red variety. Free-flowering and long-lasting blooms. A beauty for the rock garden or border. Highly recommended. 8 inches.
- Sylvestris. **Nvestris.** 6, 60c; 12, \$1.15; 25, \$2.25; 100, \$8.50 Small flowers of golden yellow, usually in pairs and nodding. Fragrant; recommended for wild gardening. 16 inches.

Turkestanica. urkestanica. 6, 50c; 12, 95c; 25, \$1.85; 100, \$7.00 Each bulb produces five or six small white flowers, shaded yellow inside. Blooms in April. 9 inches.

### BULB FERTILIZER

Fertilize your bulb plantings with bonemeal and dried cow or sheep manure. Use 5 lbs. of each per 100 sq. ft. Mix in the soil before planting. The bonemeal contains the phosphorus which promotes bigger and better blooms, and the manure contains the nitrogen for that luscious foliage.







### The largest Tulip ever produced in Holland

Vermilion-red the edges of the oetals shaded a lighter Luc. Blue base with vellow edge and blick anthers. Verv exausite Height 26 inches. This Tulip is sensational and a result

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# LA TULIPE NOIRE

### Special Collection of April-flowering TULIPS

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3 each of 6 varieties, 18 bulbs, \$1.75 6 each of 6 varieties, 36 bulbs, \$3.25 12 each of 6 varieties, 72 bulbs, \$6.25 25 each of 6 varieties, 150 bulbs, \$12.00 50 each of 6 varieties, 300 bulbs, \$22.50 100 each of 6 varieties, 600 bulbs, \$30.95

In the past we have had many requests to offer a collection, such as above, and we can assure our customers they will be delighted with the mixture we selected.

\*See opposite page for May-blooming Collection. PLEASE NO C.O.D. ORDERS!

# SUPER COLLECTION OF COLORFUL DARWINS

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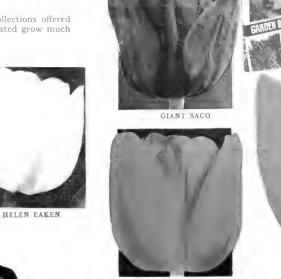
The purpose of our special offering of the Darwin Tulips featured in color of this page is to make it possible for our customers to purchase the collections offered at special prices or to buy the separate varieties according to their color desure to should be borne in mind that under good cultivation all the varieties listed grow much larger, such as Darwins" illustrated on page 5.

All varieties fully described and illustrated on pages 4 and 5

Golden Age \*Afterglow All Bright La Tulipe Noire Bleu Aimable Helen Eaken Blue Eagle \*Michael Angelo Niphetos Charles Needham City of Haarlem Pride of Haarlem Princess Elizabeth \*Clara Butt Faust \*The Bishop Flag of War Sunkist Giant Saco \*Yellow Giant \*See pages 4 and 5 for illustrations.

3 each of 20 varieties - 60 bulbs . \$6.95 6 each of 20 varieties - 120 bulbs . . \$13.75 12 each of 20 varieties - 240 bulbs . . \$26.95 25 each of 20 varieties - 500 bulbs . . \$49.95 50 each of 20 varieties - 1000 bulbs . . \$95.00 100 each of 20 varieties - 2000 bulbs . . \$184.95





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500 bulbs, \$37.95 100 each of 10 varieties, 1000 bulbs, \$69.95

A planting of this special offer S-A-3 and the April offer S-A-2 on opposite page will assure your garden having color through early spring into late May.

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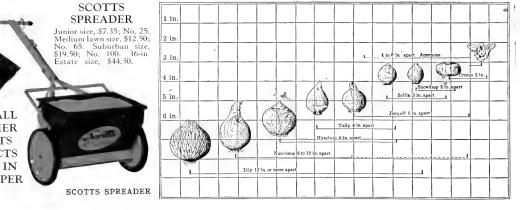
### 1000 WINNERS

The rules couldn't be simpler, just 3 easy steps. First, get your entry blank from Stebbins-Anderson's Garden Shop; second, plant your bulbs; third, the following spring of '53 take a snapshot of your flowers, and send it to the address stated on the entry blank. A panel of authentic judges will select over 1000 winners. The top prize is an all-expense-paid vacation trip to Holland for two. Other prizes will be exquisite imported silver, glassware and Royal Delft Porcelain-worldfamous gifts made by the finest Craftsmen in Europe.

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### How to Plant Fall Bulbs for Spring Flowers

Tulips, common narcissus, daffodils, hyacinths, crocus, lilies, etc. should be planted in specially prepared beds that possess good, natural drainage. The most satisfactory soil for growing bulbs is a fibrous loam well supplied with sharp sand. See planting chart below.



LATE FALL IS THE BEST TIME TO SEED AND RENOVATE LAWNS

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### For Spring Garden Beauty PLANT NARCISSUS and DAFFODILS THIS FALL MILLARI TOP-SIZE BULLES

### Daffodils Are Easily Grown-Require No Care

There is a saying that Daffodils never let you down. They grow easily and cause you no trouble. Sturdy, gay and colorful, they take the coldest weather in their stride. Anyone can plant them and achieve professional results, so persistent is their growth. They multiply with amazing rapidity, doubling in number each year. Another reason for their popularity is that they barmonize with all other flowers. Every garden, large or small, should have a generous supply of them. Only the finest are offered by Stebbins-Andterson. Smaller kinds are very effective in the rock garden, and for a superb spring picture there is nothing to surpass a large planting of naturalized Narcissus.

NOTE-We have revised the grouping of Daffodils and Narcissus to conform to the Divisions as set forth by The Royal Horticultural Society of England, 1950.

### DEFINITIONS

"Colored" means yellow or some other color than white. "White" means white or whitish.

Lord Nelson. New. 6, \$1.25: 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.00 One of the finest of the large trumpet Narcissus. Yellow in both perianth and trumpet, and truly enormous in size.

#### Lord Wellington.

6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 One of the largest yellow trumpets, of strong texture and lasting remarkably long in good condition. Perianth slightly reflexing; trumpet long, rich golden yellow.

**Mount Hood.** 1, 50c; 3, \$1.25; 6, \$2.25; 12, \$4.25 Giant-sized flower of purest white; its perfect form makes it one of the most admired Daffodils in a garden. Rather late flowering.

Mrs. Ernest H. Krelage.

6, \$1.50; 12, \$2.75; 25, \$5.25; 100, \$20.00 The pristine purity of this flower, the play of light on its balanced petalage, the graceful curve of the trumpet brim are unforgettable. Ivory-white in color,

**President Lebrun.** 6, \$1.25: 12, \$2.25: 25, \$4.25: 100, \$16.00 Deep yellow trumpet, overlapping pure white perianth. Large flower of excellent form.

- Rembrandt. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 A beautifully shaped, large golden yellow Daffodil. Highly recommended.
- **Roxanne.** 6, \$1.50: 12, \$2.75: 25, \$5.25: 100, \$20.00 The large trumpet is creamy white, with round, overlapping pure white perianth.
- **Spring Glory.** 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 A great favorite for garden and for forcing. Pure yellow trumpet, creamy white perianth.

### DIVISION 2

### LARGE-CUPPED NARCISSUS

Distinguishing characters: One flower to a stem; cup or corona more than one-third, but less than equal to the length of the perianth segments.

**Brookville.** New. 6, \$1.75; 12, \$3.25; 25, \$6.50; 100, \$24.00 Very substantial, broad, flat pure white perianth; large, completely ruffled, deep golden yellow cup.

**Carlton.** 6, \$1.00: 12, \$1.85: 25, \$3.75: 100, \$14.00 A very beautiful variety, broad overlapping flat perianth with a large expanded cup. The whole flower is of a soft uniform yellow. Very free flowering, and a strong sturdy grower, all around variety. Highly recommended.

#### "Corona" is the trumpet or cup. "Perianth" refers to the petals.

- Daisy Schaeffer. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 The flower is 4 inches across, with cup nearly 2 inches, resembling a Giant Trumpet but much more graceful in form. Perianth pure white, with cup opening primrose and turning to light canary-yellow, deeper at the base.
- **Dick Wellband.** 6, 90c: 12, \$1.65; 25, \$3.00: 100, \$10.50. The perianth is pure white and the cup a brilliant flameorange. One of its most remarkable qualities is that the color does not fade but rather intensifies with age. Unusual lasting qualities. An exhibition variety "par excellence."

#### Duke of Windsor.

6, \$2.00; 12, \$3.75; 25, \$7.50; 100, \$28.00 Magnificent, heavy, thick, pure white, overlapping petals with pale yellow cup, very flaring and short, beautifully rufiled. The inside edge of the cup shows delicate tinting of a broad golden band.

> KING ALFRED Division 1

MT. HOOD Division 1

### Division 1. TRUMPET NARCISSUS

Distinguishing characters: One flower to a stem; trumpet or corona as long or longer than the perianth segments.

- Ada Finch. New. 6, \$1.25; 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.00 Among the earliest Daffoldis to bloom. Pure white, overlapping perianth and large white trumpet with deeply flanged edge. Extra large.
- **Beersheba.** 6, \$1.50; 12, \$2.75; 25, \$5.25; 100, \$20.00 Perianth and trumpet of magnificent proportions. Height 20 to 22 inches. Its color is not pure white, yet is expressive of purity in the highest sense.
- **Bicolor Queen.** 6, \$1.00: 12, \$1.85: 25, \$3.75: 100, \$14.00 Pure white, well-overlapped, flat perianth; well-shaped yellow trumpet. One of the best bicolors.
- **Golden Harvest.** 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 One of the largest trumpet varieties in existence. The perianth is well formed and overlapping; the trumpet is of good shape and proportion, rolled back at the brim. Deep golden yellow.
- Insurpassable. 6, \$1.25; 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.00 Golden yellow throughout. Good size and proportion. Makes a good show flower, for it is easily forced.
- King Alfred. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Rich, lustrous golden yellow. Very vigorous in habit. Perianth often 4 inches, trumpet fully 2 inches.

### DIVISION 2-LARGE-CUPPED NARCISSUS ALL ARE TOP-SIZE BULBS

Distinguishing characters: One flower to a stem; cup or corona more than one-third, but less than equal to the length of the perianth segments.

Mary Blonk. 6, \$1.50; 12, \$2.75; 25, \$5.50; 100, \$19.00 Large, long, white petals; cup medium size, flaring, rich flameorange. Poeticus tint inside, paler outside.

### Mrs. R. O. Backhouse.

6, \$1.25; 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.00 This is the famous "Pink Daffodil." Fine informal perianth of ivory-white, and beautifully proportioned, slim long trumpet of apricot-pink, changing to shell-pink at the deeply fringed edge.

**Orange Glow**. 6, *\$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00* Yellow perianth often 5 inches across. The cup is deeply glowing orange, beautifully frilled.

Pink Fancy. 1, 75c; 3, \$2.00; 6, \$3.75; 12, \$7.00 White perianth with pale apricot cup fringed soft pink.

Pink Glory (Orchid).

*1*, *§*1.00; 3, *§*2.75; 6, *§*5.00; 12, *§*9.50 Pure white perianth; long trumpet opening light yellow, which passes to soft pink as the flower opens.

### Robusta.

6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 A very large flower with ivory-white, overlapping perianth and a deep orange, beautifully fringed cup. Highly recommended.

> MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE Division 2

> > SCARLET ELEGANS Division 2

BEERSHEBA Division 1

> Fancheon. 6, \$2.00; 12, \$3.75; 25, \$7.50; 100, \$28.00 A nuch-admired novelty. Extremely large flower, White perianth with large, ruffled, lemon-yellow cup. Early.

Fortune. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Broad, creamy yellow perianth of solid texture; glowing soft orange crown of great size and elegant form. Beautifully frilled.

#### Francisca Drake.

6, 90c; 12, \$1.65; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$10.50The pure white perianth petals are of unusual substance  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches wide, and tinted gold at the base, which shows through on the outside. The cup, wide and deep, is golden yellow at the base, changing gradually to flame-orange at densely frilled edge.

### Gertie Millar.

6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Pure white perianth, with a beautifully proportioned, pale primrose cup, deeply fluted and frilled and of transclucent texture. Unusually long pistils and anthers match these colors perfectly.

FORTUNE

Division 2

### John Evelyn.

Outstanding among the new incomparabilis hybrids. Flatly opening perianth, 4 to 5 inches across, with a flatl yopening perianth, 4 to 5 inches across, with a flat cup nearly 2 inches in diameter, densely frilled. Perianth is pure white without a trace of shading, and the cup lemon-yellow, fluted or shirred to the base.

### Leeuwenhorst. New.

6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Ivory white perianth, yellow cup edged deep orange. A variety we highly recommend.

Leviathan. 6, \$1.50; 12, \$2.75; 25, \$5.50; 100, \$19.00 Petals cream-white, irregular and turning back; cup yellow, flaring and nicely ruffled, laciniated at rim, with deeper golden yellow edge.

ORANGE GLOW Division 2

### DIVISION 2, continued ----

Scarlet Elegans. 6, 90c; 12, \$1.65: 25, \$3.00; 100, \$10.50Dark yellow petals or perianth with medium-sized but intensely brilliant orange-scarlet cup. We can now offer this choice variety in quantity and at a remarkably low price. A must for "1952."

Selma Laserlaf. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 A beautiful broad pure white perianth and a large yellow crown. Widely margined with an orange band.

- Semper Avanti. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 A very beautiful new variety with large, well-formed flowers. Creany white perianth and a bold orange cup.
- Siam. 1, 60c; 3, \$1.60; 6, \$2.75; 12, \$5.25 Pure white perianth; large, flaring cup of apricot color changing to soft pink. A giant among the pinks.
- Smaragd. 6, \$1.50: 12, \$2.75; 25, \$5.50; 100, \$19.00 White perianth: large, lemon-yellow cup, flaring and ruffled. A recommended variety.

### DIVISION 3-SMALL-CUPPED NARCISSUS ALL ARE TOP-SIZE BULBS

Distinguishing characters: One flower to a stem; cup or corona nor more than one-third the length of the perianth segments. This is an important class containing some unusually attractive and fragrant varieties and should be well represented in any planting Collection.

- Aranjuez. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Soft yellow perianth; well-formed, bright yellow cup. A much admired variety.
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KANSAS Division 3

### Lady Diana Manners.

6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Creamy white, overlapping perianth, with a large, orangescarlet crown.

- La Riante. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Pure white, overlapping perianth. The frilled cup is deep orange-red.
- Mrs. Barclay. 6, 90c: 12, \$1.65: 25, \$3.00; 100, \$10.5 0 Large flower with flat, reflexed, broad-petaled, overlapping perianth of pale primrose; deeply frilled, flat cup of primrose yellow, with dainty orange picotee. Extremely showy and a great favorite in the garden for exhibition.



FIRETAIL Division 3

#### Mrs. Nette O'Melveny. New.

6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Pure white perianth, cup clear lemon-yellow with orange picotee. Recommended.

**Polar Ice.** *New.* 6, *\$1.50; 12, \$2.75; 25, \$5.25; 100, \$20.00* Very small and flat, white crown, shaded icy green at the center, snow white perianth. Novelty.

Saturnus. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Creamy white perianth; large golden yellow crown edged carmine-red. Lovely form. Highly recommended.

### White Horse Eagle.

Unusual variety with white perianth and small cup opening sulphur-yellow and fading to almost pure white.

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Division 4 DOUBLE NARCISSUS

Distinguishing characters: This includes all varieties with double flowers. Many of the finest and newest are listed here. They are interesting and beautiful, excellent as cut flowers, and easily grown in the garden.

**Cheerfulness.** 6, 90c: 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.50: 100, \$12.00 A very pleasing, double white Poetaz, with good stems. A fine garden show flower.

Daphne. 6, 90c; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.50; 100, \$12.00 The most promising novelty of this division. Sweet-scented, dainty, pure white, double flowers; early forcer.

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Shirley Temple. New. 1, 50c; 3, \$1.25; 6, \$2.25; 12, \$4.25 Pure white perianth, full double white crown. Very attractive novelty.

**Texas.** 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Tall growing. Pale yellow interspersed with brilliant orange; very late.

Twink. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Of the semi-full type, the petals alternating soft primrose and clear orange and making it a most adaptable flower for large-scale decorative work. Very free flowering and hardy.

### Division 5

### TRIANDRUS NARCISSUS

Distinguishing characters: Characteristics of Narcissus triandrus clearly evident. The Triandrus are rather dwarf plants with slender, rush-like foliage and dainty, small trumpet flowers with reflexed petals. They are delightful subjects for the partly shaded rock garden or for filling any odd, partly shaded spot.

- **Moonshine.** 6, \$1.25: 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.00 Star-shaped, creamy white flowers, often three to a stem, drooping gracefully. A great favorite for the rock garden and for naturalizing in the shade.
- Shot Silk. 6, \$1.25: 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25: 100, \$16.00 Perianth and cup uniform creamy white, slightly star shaped. Three flowers on a stem.
- **Thalia.** 6, \$1.25; 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.00 In addition to a peculiar attraction at first sight, this flower leaves one with an impression that it is white; yet it is a whiteness that is not white. The recurving petals and the angle of the three trumpets are unlike the conventional short-cupped Daffodil. Some call it the "Orchid-flowered" Narcissus. Thalia provides unusually good material for artistic arrangements.
- Triandrus Albus. New. 6, 50c; 12, 90c; 25, \$1.75; 100, \$6.00 Creamy white, drooping flowers, with reflexing petals.

### Division 6 CYCLAMINEUS NARCISSUS

Distinguishing characters: Characteristics of Narcissus cyclamineus clearly evident. Trumpets rich yellow, straight and tube-like; perianths reflex as in a cyclamen. Very early flowering and excellent for rock gardens.

February Gold. 6, \$1.25; 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.00 Deep golden yellow with a light orange, fringed trumpet. Very early. May also be grown in water and pebbles.

#### March Sunshine.

6, \$1.25; 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.00 Medium size; rich yellow color and attractive form.

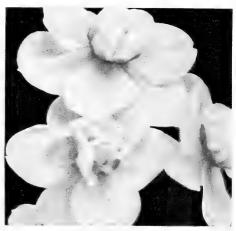
### Division 7 JONQUILLA NARCISSUS

Distinguishing characters: Characteristics of any of the Narcissus Jonquilla group clearly evident. Jonquils have narrow, upstanding foliage and long stems. Most of them bear deliciously fragrant flowers, which are not only popular in the garden but are useful for forcing.

Buttercup. New. 6, \$1.00; 12, \$1.85; 25, \$3.75; 100, \$14.00 Rich golden yellow, very large beautiful cup.

Golden Sceptre. 6, 90c; 12, \$1.65; 25, \$3.00; 100, \$10.50 Deep jonquil-yellow, 3 inches or so in diameter. The perianth is star-shaped; trumpet slightly flaring. Vigorous.

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### Division 8 TAZETTA NARCISSUS

Distinguishing characters: Characteristics of any of the Narcissus Tazetta group clearly evident. All of them have graceful foliage and blooms with pleasing mild fragrance.

### Early Perfection.

- 6, 90c; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.50; 100, \$12.00 Creamy white perianth and lemon-yellow cup; free flowering. Excellent for growing in the house.
- Geranium. 6, 90c; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.50; 100, \$12.00 White perianth; lovely orange-red cup. Recommended highly.
- Laurens Koster. 6, 90c; 12, 81.75; 25, 83.50; 100, 812.00 Perianth white; vellow cup, prettily fluted. Five or more blooms on a stem. Useful for forcing.
- Scarlet Gem. 6, 90c; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.50; 100, \$12.00 Primrose periantli; deep orange cup. Here is a very artistic contrast in color. Attractive, finely formed flowers, five or more per stem.
- St. Agnus. 6, 90c; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.50; 100, \$12.00 Pure white perianth; cup citron-vellow. Good for early forcing.

### Division 9

### POTHULS NUCLSUS

Distinguishing characters: Characteristics of the Narcissus poeticus group without admixture of any other. The true Poet's Narcissus, thriving best in moist situations.

Actaea. 6, 90c; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.50; 100, \$12.00 One of the finest of the Poeticus varieties. Broad white perianth and large eye margined dark red. This variety was introduced in 1927 and is still considered one of the best.

### Old Pheasant's Eye.

6,90c; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.50; 100, \$12.00 Perianth pure white and reflexing eve margined deep orange-red. Very fragrant. A favorite old variety. Ornatus Maximus.

6, 90c; 12, \$1.75; 25, \$3.50; 100, \$12.00 Slightly reflexed, pure white perianth and yellow eye rimmed red. Popular for forcing, garden planting and naturalizing.

Verger. New. 6, \$1.25; 12, \$2.25; 25, \$4.25; 100, \$16.00 Pure white perianth, deep red, medium large cup. Will be very popular. Highly recommended.

### Division 10 SPFCIFS—WILD FORMS—HYBRIDS

Including the popular varieties for indoor culture through winter and spring. Flowers are fragrant and bloom very freely. To bave a continuous display make successive planting 2 or 3 weeks apart.

### Bulbocodium Conspicuus.

6, 50c: 12, 90c: 25, \$1.75; 100, \$6.00 The yellow Hoop Petticoat. Flowers rich golden yellow, with rush-like foliage. Blooms in February. Ht. 6 in. Jonguilla Flore-Pleno.

6, 50c; 12, 90c; 25, 81.75; 100, 86.00 The true old double sweet Jonquil produces little heads of rich vellow double flowers in May. Very fragrant. Jonquilla Simplex.

6, 50c: 12, 90c: 25, 81.75; 100, 86.00 Clusters of numerous vellow llowers, deliciously scented, like orange blossons blooming in May. Odorus Rugulosus, Single.

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THALIA Division 5



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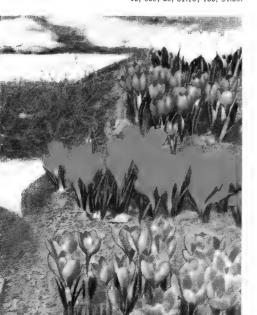
### OXALIS

This beautiful little flower is usually found on rocky hillsides or in rock gardens. It is easily grown indoors and makes showy colors. 6, 35c; 12, 60c; 25, \$1.10; 100, \$4.25.



### ERYTHRONIUM (Dogs-Tooth Violet)

This flower is very hardy. They are like miniature stars with points drawn back. They prefer shaded location where the soil is well drained. They grow better in loose, gritty soil. 6, 35c; 12, 60c; 25, \$1.10; 100, \$4.25.

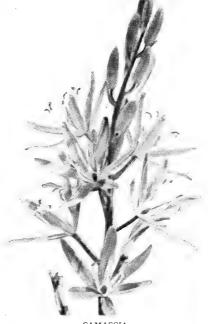


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CAMASSIA

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THOMASSINIANUS (Whitewell Purple). Whitewell purple, reddish violet. Flowers with crocus, snow bunting. 12, 50c; 25, 90c; 100, \$3.50.

TRITELEIA. This is a fine plant for a sheltered corner of the rock-garden. Its flowers remind one of flowering tobacco. 12, 75c; 25, \$1.45; 100, \$4.50.



### ORNITHOGALUM

This flower multiplies very rapidly. Its white flowers, in clusters on six-inch stem, rise from grass-like foliage. Set the bulbs at least two inches deep in early fall. 6, 40c; 12, 75c; 25, \$1.45; 100, \$4.50.



### **COLCHICUM** autumnale

Colchium make the autumn garden gay with shades of violet and rosy purple. This beautiful flower belongs to the lily family. Give them a sunny location and set them two inches deep. 1, 30c; 3, 75c; 6, \$1.25.



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CHIONODOXA Luciliae Glory-of-the-Snow)

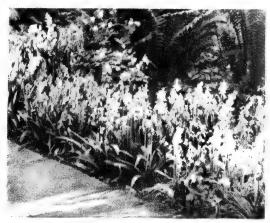
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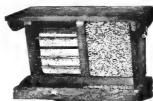


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For a successful lawn, at least 2 to 4 inches of good quality topsoil possessing the proper organic matter and plant foods for a sturdy growth of grasses is necessary. A good lawn fertilizer for this purpose is bonemeat, which is high in phosphate and should be used at the rate of 2 to 41bs, per 100 sq, ft. In addition, a 1-inch layer of well-totted manure will supply sufficient organic matter. Spread and then spade the above mixture about 4 to 6 inches deep. After being completely broken up and throughly mixed, the ground should be raked and rolled. Now you have a good seedbed prepared.

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Thin turf and bare spots on old lawns may be raked so that existing grass is not damaged, and then seeded as though making a new lawn. You may also broadcast seed on a late snow in spring. The snow will carry the seed into the open ground. Sow at the rate of 1 lb, to 200 sq. (r., broadcasting half the seed in one direction and the other half at right angles. Carefully rake, making sure not to "bunch" the seed. Roll only if the weather is dry; if you start watering, keep it up. Otherwise seed may sprout and die off before it has rooted. For a good lawn stand this is important. Do not cut before grass is i inches bigb, and set mover to leave a stand of 2 inches.

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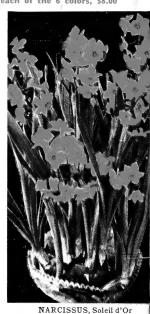
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NARCISSUS, Paper-White

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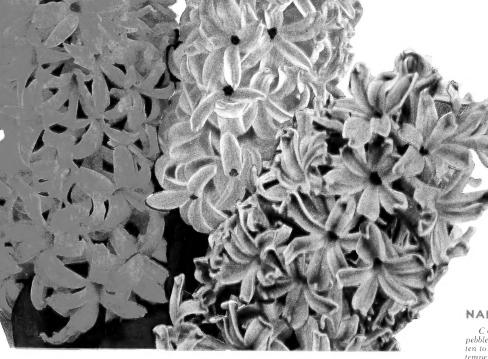
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